



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re the Application of

Manfred BRAUNER

Group Art Unit: 1772

Serial No.: 09/554,269

Examiner: B. Egan

Filed: June 29, 2000

For: FLAT OR SEMI-FLAT ELEMENT INCLUDING A FRAME

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF RESPONSE PERIOD**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Petition is hereby made to the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the period for response to the Office Action dated July 18, 2003, for two months, so as to expire December 18, 2003.

Submitted herewith is our Check No. 20775 inclusive of the amount of \$310.00 in payment for:

- \_\_\_ Extension for response filed within first month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) and §1.117(a) [\$110.00 (\$55.00, if qualified small entity)].
- XX Extension for response filed within second month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) and §1.117(b) [\$420.00 (\$210.00, if qualified small entity)] [The petition and fee for the first month extension was filed on October 31, 2003.]
- \_\_\_ Extension for response filed within third month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) and §1.117(c). [\$950.00 (\$475.00, if qualified small entity).]


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The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee (or credit any overpayment) to Deposit Account No. 19-4375.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Thomas P. Pavelko', with a stylized flourish extending to the right.

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